THE PUTNEY COLUMN

Will Richards went to Amherst Saturday, returning Monday,

Mrs. William Johnson went to Chlcopee, Friday to visit her sister. Dr. George D. Wheat returned Friday from a visit in Springfield, this sate Dr. H. B. Esmond of Bondville, formerly

Putney, visited in town Monday. Mrs. Francis Shaw of Somerville came nesday to visit at C. F. Brown's until

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crawford went to Sunderland, Mass., Friday to spend a

Fred Pember returned this week to his duties in the department of agriculture in Washington. The ladies' aid society of the Baptist

church will meet with Mrs. Buzzell Wednesday afternoon Rev. E. C. Charlton started Monday on

week's lecture trip in the central and orthern part of the state. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Britton went to Boston yesterday on a business trip. They will return next week. F. D. Kendall has finished work in the

Richardson meat market in Brattleboro. He has been in Putney this week. Work on the schoolhouse has reached that point where more carpenters are wanted, as is noted in Mr. Brown's ad-

vertisement in this paper. The ladies of the Congregational society are preparing to send a box of old cloth-ing to the Salvation Army of Boston for distribution among the poor. All who desire to help in this work may leave anywhich they wish to contribute at

was killed Saturday by Dr. J. L. Rathbone, blood poisoning having resulted from a wound made by sticking a nail into one of its feet. Mr. Pierce bought the pair of horses of E. E. Blood and id \$600 for them.

Baptist church, Rev. A. S. Buzzell, pastor. 10 a. m., young men's praying band; 10.45, address by C. J. Ferguson, superintendent of the Vermont Anti-Saloon league; 12 m., Bible school; 6.30, Christian Endeavor; 7.30, union rally at town ball. with address by Mr. Ferguson and sing-

The Methodist and Baptist churches will unite for the morning service Sunday morning, when Clarence J. Ferguson of Burlington, superintendent of the Ver-mont Anti-Saloon league, will speak. The usual morning services will be held in the Congregational church. The three churches will unite in the evening, when there will be a mass meeting in the town hall, addressed by Mr. Ferguson.

An important sale of standard bred horses will take place at Henry Craw-ford's farm on the Westminster West road Monday, Nov. 20, at 1 o'clock p. m., Mr. Crawford having rented his farm. The horses are described in an advertisement in this paper. The list includes the Wilkes stallion Linden, with a track record of 2.15, two fast road mares, and 10 other horses ranging from three to 10 other horses ranging from three to seven years old, several sired by Madison Wilkes, All these horses were bred by Mr. Crawford. A. W. J. Wilkins of Brat-tleboro will be the auctioneer.

Albert Glynn, 70, a farm laborer, was found dead in his home in East Putney Thursday morning. He lived alone, and for some time he had been ill with heart disease. On Wednesday night Will Richards, who lives at M. C. Ingalis's, stayed over night with him, leaving early in the morning. About 8 o'clock Mrs. John Nichols, who lived near by and who had shown him many kindnesses, went to his house and found him dead on the floor. He had prepared breakfast and had been seized with a sudden attack of heart disease while doing his work. He leaves two daughters, one in Philipsburg, N. J., and one in New York. The funeral was held at the house at 10 o'clock Saturday, Rev. E. C. Charlton officiating, and the burial was in Maple Grove cemetery.

EAST PUTNEY.

The ladies' union aid society will hold their annual fair next Wednesday evening at Pierce's hall. An oyster supper will be served and after the entertainment fancy articles will be sold. All come.

JACKSONVILLE.

Young Mr. Crosier has moved to Free-man Hager's tenement. Mrs. P. Rogan of Wilmington was in town the first of the week. Mrs. Lowe moved this week from Wil-mington to her son's here.

Dr. Martin M. Brown of North Adams was in town professionally Wednesday. Fletcher J. Dalrymple and family of Readsboro were in town the first of the

A little one was born last Friday to Mrs. Virginia Marcoux, whose husband was killed a few weeks ago while chopping in

the woods. New York state we have no barber, but a new man has moved to Fletcher Dalrymple's house and will have a barber

at the husking bee at W. S. Allen's last Fridny night, and 180 bushels of corn were husked. An excellent repast was partaken

husked. An excellent repast was partaken of, music enjoyed and dancing indulged We had a few flakes of snow two weeks ago last Saturday and enough last Friday

to whiten the ground. Monday morning brought a coat which still continues in place notwithstanding the rain of Wed-Children's night at Masonic hall las

Friday evening under the auspices of the adies of Pearl chapter. No. 52, O. E. S., was well attended, notwithstanding the snow and rain. Mrs. Carrie Kingsley had charge of the literary exercises and Mrs. Carrie Chase led in the decorations. The tables were spread with such things as attract the eye and palate of little folk. Many of the older children, even up to gray-haired grandmothers, enjoyed the vening very much.

Henry St. George Tucker, president of the Jamestown exposition, is soon to go abroad to get the foreign nations in-terested in the fair which is to be held in

It is reported that the Mexican gov-ernment is sick of its ownership of rail-roads and is willing to sell the 51 per ent, of stock in a number of lines.

The pension bureau reports a loss of 2003 civil war pensioners by death during September. The net decrease of pensioners was 941, leaving a total of 966,278 on the pension roll September 30.



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I. E. Strawser is in Athol on a business L. H. Barber of Brattleboro is in town

Rev. A. N. Blackford has returned from improved in health.

Mrs. Jennie Titus has gone to Bostor o remain during the winter. Frank L. Allen, who recently bought the otel at Readsboro, was in town over Sun-John R. Buell has been suffering from

umatism, but is improving at the present time. ent time.

The auction sale of property belonging to the estate of Mrs. Olive Moore was held Saturday. The real estate was sold to Leonard A. Brown.

On Wednesday evening a special meeting of Social lodge was held, the third degree being conferred. District Deputy Charles W. Cutler of Townshend was present, also Brothers P. P. White, F. E. Willard, A. N. Sherman and E. W. Richardson, members of Blazing Star lodge. H. E. Wellman, who has been seriously I for some time from ulcers in the stomach, was operated upon on Wednesday by Drs. M. M. Brown of North Adams, assisted by Dr. L. T. Page, The operation was successful and strong hopes are entertained that the patient will recover.

SOUTH LONDONDERRY.

Mrs. Music Skinner has gone to Enos-burg Falls to stay with a friend who is ill. E. F. Rugg and Elmer Lampson have been under the doctor's care the past

play "Down in Maine," which they will

present on Nov. 17. Dr. Z. B. Babbitt of New York made

his parents a short visit this week, return-ing Wednesday morning. Hazel Burbank and Olive Churchill were at home from Northfield seminary over Sunday. Olive was accompanied by Flora Glover, a school friend.

R. S. Goddard is at home for a time It is reported that he has finished work in Springfield, Mass., and will go to Ogdensburg, N. Y., to take a position.

Merritt Griswold was injured Tuesday while sawing logs with a cross-cut saw. In some way he was pinned between two logs and bruised badly, but no bones were

Anchor lodge, No. 99, A. F. & A. M., held the annual meeting and election of officers Tuesday evening, with the result as follows: W. M., A. E. Cudworth; S. W., H. M. Swift; J. W., L. R. Pierce; treasurer, G. G. Smith; secretary, H. J. Twitchell; S. D., P. D. Lakin; S. S., El. W. Melendy; J. S., J. B. Johnson; chaplain, M. Hoskins; marshal, J. W.

VERNON.

Suicide of James Marshall, an Aged Resi dent.

James Marshall, an aged resident of this town, was discovered by Mr. Buffum of South Vernon about noon last Saturday in the chapel horseshed dead, having hung himself with a cord tied to a ring in a deed probably was done early in the morn ing, as he was seen going that way by B. A. Streeter and L. M. Cook. For sev-eral weeks Mr. Marshall had appeared much depressed and had threatened to make away with himself. He believed himself misused and was apparently unsound in his mind upon the matter, although no one believed he would execute his declaration. He was born in Mendon, Vt., in August.

1821, and married Miss Desire Elizabeth Starr in 1844. They lived in Andover and West Dummerston until they moved to Vernon in 1875. Mrs. Marshall died in 1880. Two children were born to them who survive—Henry C. of Worcester Mass., and Lucy H., wife of George H Butterfield of this town, Mr. Marshall had been a member of the Methodist Episcopal church since early manhood, The funeral was held from his late home with his daughter. Mrs. Butterfield, on Monday afternoon, the pastor of the Methodist church of Hinsdale officiating. Mrs. Ora Johnson mang three selections, accompanied by Mrs. G. E. Brooks. The family have the sincere sympathy of many friends.

Mrs. Cella Howe of Greenfield was in own this week. B. H. Peeler has been taken to the Brat tleboro Retreat.

Will Heard of Manchester, N. H., visited his mother and brother at the Heard farm this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Balley and little son are visiting Mr. Balley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Balley. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cook returned last

Saturday from a visit to their son, Edward, in Baldwinsville, and Mrs. Cook's brother, James Allen, in Enfield, Mass. Vernop Grange will give a dance and oyster supper at A. G. Barnes's hall Wed-nesday evening, Nov. 15. There will be nusic by Hines and Dugan. All are

music by Hines and Dugan. At are cordially invited.
Pat Danforth, who was arrested by Constable Powers Oct. 28 for disturbing the peace and afterward taken to the Retreat on the certificate of Dr. O'Connor and Dr. Roberts, was discharged Wednes-

The trustees of the Vernon Free Public library are very glad to announce that the books of the library have been classified and catalogued and are now arranged in excellent order at the home of the librarian, Mrs. E. H. Akley, ready for usa by any of our citizens, who, we are sure, will be pleased to avail themselves of a fine opportunity to read books that have been selected with care and with the intention of providing standard books by the best authors. Miss Mary Shakshober of the Brattleboro Free library rendered valuable assistance in classifying and arranging the books, also Mrs. G. E. Brooks, Miss Allie F. Morse and Miss Florence Thurber. Everyone is cordially invited to take advantage of this oppor-tunity to obtain interesting books.

Fred Kendall has gone to C. Jackson's o work for the winter. Robert Allen and family are visiting

Williamsville a week. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey and son of Boston are visiting Mr. Bailey's parents. Some of the farmers have taken a part of the tobacco from their poles and are Bert Wiley is moving into Will Squires's

house. He will drive a team for Mr. Squires this winter. Miss Lizzie Palmer has been at home from Brattleboro a few days, sick with

onsilitis, but is better now.

Rev. I. M. Blanchard is expected to preach in the chapel Sunday at 11 a. m. and in Johnson's hall at 7 p. m.

Mrs. J. G. Weatherhead has gone to Brattleboro to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Thomas. W. A. Newton was given a pleasant sur-W. A. Newton was given a preasure prise on Nov. 5 when he received an unannounced visit from his sister, Mrs. C. Houghton of Worcester, and her daughter, also his daughters, Mrs. J. E. Lawrence and Mrs. F. L. Hunt of Brattleboro.

Success Summed Up.

"What is the secret of success," asked the Sphinx: "Push," said the button. "Never be "Push." said the button. "Never be led," said the pencil, "Take pains," said the window. "Always keep cool," said the ice. "Be up to date," said the calendar. "Never lose your head," said the barrel. "Make light of everything," said the fire. "Do a thriving business," said the hammer. "Aspire to greater things," said the nutmer. "Be share in all your

HINSDALE, N. H.

Miss Florence Britton is visiting in Mil-

M. S. Leach went Thursday to White River Junction on business Miss Wiswall entertained Miss Ray of Boston from Friday until Monday.

Miss F. V. Goddard visited at A. J Beers's in Vernon all of last week

George Kibbe has moved his family to Ashland, where he has employment. Mrs. Kennedy and Miss Margaret Mack were in Greenfield a part of last week, Alice Lachance is out again after her ong and severe illness with appendicitis. Another waltzing party will be held at he opera house next Wednesday even-

Miss Josie Redding of Boston is visit-ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Miss Stella Stickney of Brattleboro is

pending a few days with Miss Charlotte Fred Knapp and family of Claremont are spending a few days with Hinsdale relatives.

Rev. H. Gertrude Roscoe of Assinippi, Mass., visited her old parishioners in town last week. Mr. and Mrs. Farr of Westminster, Vt.,

were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. Mr. Potter, principal of the Hinsdale grammar school, has taken a room at A. A. Bailey's.

Mrs. M. S. Leach returned Monday from two weeks' visit in Massachusetts and nnecticut Mrs. G. S. Howe and Miss Caroline B.

Howe returned Friday from a few days visit in Boston. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bailey and child of South Boston, Mass., visited at A. A. Bailey's Sunday.

Walter Believille was run over by team one day recently, but escaped with out serious injury. Rev. W. J. Wilkins has returned from

Boston, where he went to receive treatment for his eye. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bliss were called to Jamaica, Vt., last week by the serious llness of a relative.

Mr. Nichols has moved his family from Mrs. Dickenson's house on Brattleboro street to Winchester. Edward Carey of Brooklyn was a guest

at G. S. Howe's from Sunday morning until Tuesday afternoon. M. D. Mann of South Boston, Mass., was with his sister, Mrs. C. C. Holton, from Friday until Tuesday. Miss Adelia Kelley is visiting in Bel-

lows Falls, after which she will join her father in Leominster, Mass. Miss Mildred Russell of Farley, Mass. has been a visitor at the Howard home stead on River street this week. Mrs. C. A. Holland and H. C. Holland have been in Boston this week selecting

goods for the fall and winter trade Dr. and Mrs. Karl T. Richards and two children of Maynard, Mass., have been at his father's, E. J. Richards's, this week. Mrs. Norman Knapp went Monday to Greenfield, called there by the serious lliness of her niece, Mrs. Charles Dicker-

Alfred Walker, who was at home on a furlough of a few days, returned Sun-day to his duties in the United States Miss Violet Robertson entertained from Friday to Monday Misses Edna Gibson and Grace and Mabel Perry of Bellows

Rev. A. J. Torsleff of Winchester will preach in the Universalist church Sunday in exchange with the pastor, Rev. W. H. Trickey.

The Universalist ladies are holding a rummage sale which they opened in the Stebbins building west of Mrs. N. M. Worden's on Main street. Mr. Thomas of Springfield, Mass., who s an expert mathematician, is making his

annual stay in Hinsdale as auditor at the Haile & Frost woolen mill. Mrs. Ralph Carey and two daughters went last week to Arlington, Vt., and after a few days' visit there went to join

Mr. Carey in Buffalo, N. Y. Mrs. A. F. Fisher's class of boys were made messenger boys for the home department of the Congregational Sunday school, and received their badges last

Sunday Miss Evaline Stewart invited a few of her young friends to help her celebrate her fourteenth birthday anniversary Mon-day evening. A very enjoyable evening is reported.

Three Vermonters were arrested for drunkenness here last week. One settled for the offense, one was given a suspended sentence, and one was kept shut up over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berkinshaw of Pittsfield, Mass., were in town for a brief visit last week, having come to attend the funeral of his mother, which took place at Ashuelot Friday.

Clarence Hildreth, who had charge of the building of the Ashuelot Paper company's mill, will finish his work for the company this week and will go to Groton, Mass., to engage in similar work. The Hinsdale public library will be closed from Saturday, Nov. 11, to Nov. 18, for taking an inventory of the books,

making necessary repairs, etc. It is requested that all books and periodicals hat are out be returned the 11th. The many friends here of Bert Perry,

formerly of this town, now of Dum merston, will be saddened to know that he suffered another shock of paralysis ast week Thursday, and when last heard from was unable to speak, although

. The high school's Hallowe'en ball at the town hall Friday evening was successful in every respect. The attendance was large, including guests from other towns, and the receipts were sufficient to leave a surplus. Leitsinger's orchestra-furnished music. The dancing continued until 2 o'clock and during the evening refreshments were served.

Former students of the high school who returned to participate in the festivities of the Hallowe'en party Friday evening were John Fisher of the state college at Durham, Alfred Walker of the United States navy, Miss Christina Robertson of the Duffy bearding school at Springfield, Mass., and Roy Taylor of the Bryant & Stratton business college in Boston.

The supper and entertainment at the Congregational church Wednesday evening, the proceeds of which the ladies had yoted to turn over to Mr. Booth to be used for the benefit of the choir for music, etc., netted a rather small sum. The supper was well patronized, but unfortunately for the affair the band minstrel show was the following evening and a full dress rehearsal for that drew on the musics talent that had been relied on for the church entertainment. However, those who were able to be there very pleasant-ly entertained the small audience who remained for the evening

The Battleship Vermont as a Type. The tendency in naval construction is to build heavier ships than have ever been seen, to make these ships as speedy as possible, and to arm them with the heavi-est guns. This tendency, it is interesting to know, is not a result of the Russo-Japanese war. Though emphasized and advanced by the engagements that have taken place in Oriental waters, nevertheless the tendency antedates the war. It is to be seen in the battleship Vermont, which was recently launched at the Fore dar. "Never lose your head," said the barrel. "Make light of everything," said the fire. "Do a thriving business," said the hammer. "Aspire to greater things," said the nutmeg. "Be sharp in all your dealings," said the knife. "Find a good thing and stick to it," said the giue. "Do the work you are suited for," said the chimney.—[Baltimore Sun.

ASHUELOT, N. H. The local football team defeated a team

from Troy on Tuft's field Saturday by a score of 10 to 0. Grover C. A. Kingsley, who has lived

n Brooklyn the past two years, has re-urned to his old home here. The ladies of the Universalist church had a successful rummage sale at the library building Monday and Tuesday. The hotel is being thoroughly renovated. It will be open to the public soon, under the management of Mrs. A. N. Kingsley

The portable saw mill which has bee

on the Howard wood lot a few months has finished its work here and has beer noved to a large job in Jaffrey. Three drunks were arrested by Police man F. G. Maxfield on the lower Ashuelot streets Monday afternoon. They were taken to the Winchester cooler where they were assessed \$10.22 each on Tuesday

Mrs. Brazley of Uxbridge, Mass., formerly Miss Chapin of Worcester, a niece of the late E. C. Thayer, was a brief visitor at the Thayer library last week. Mr. and Mrs. Brazley were on a carriage drive over part of the Connecticut valley Mrs. Sarah Berkinshaw, 62, widow o Edward Berkinshaw, died at Somerville Mass., of a cancerous trouble Thursday. The body was brought here Friday and the funeral was held in St. Michael's church Saturday morning. The burial was in the village cemetery. Mrs. Berkinshaw had lived here several years and was highly esteemed. She leaves many relatives and friends.

CHESTERFIELD, N. H.

Mr. Perham and family, who lived in W. Cressey's house, moved to Spot ford last week.

Mrs. Tisdale, with her mother, Mrs. Hubbard, returned to her home in Con cook last Friday. M. G. Harvey, formerly of this town, is reported seriously ill with typhoid fever at his home in Amherst, Mass. Dr. Craig was summoned there recently to see him

WEST CHESTERFIELD, N. H. Rev. T. Roscoe exchanged pulpits last unday with his daughter, Rev H. Ger-

trude Roscoe George W. Hevis has begun work at the Brattleboro Retreat, breaking and driving colts for George W. Pierce. Don Rice entertained his classmates of

will be held Saturday evening, Nov. 11, when it is expected that District Deputy Pike will be present for inspection of the work in the fourth degree, after which an

byster supper will be served. Elbridge Hubbard, who is 88 years old, sustained a dislocation of the hip by a fall last week Wednesday. Mr. Hubbard is a man who enjoys the esteem of all, and his many friends, while regretting his misfortune, hope for his complete

recovery. The 19th anniversary of the dedicatio The 19th anniversary of the dedication of Citizens' hall will be celebrated this, Friday evening, Nov. 10, when a play will be presented by Grange Dramatic club of Brattleboro. The ladies will have a table for the sale of fancy articles, and supper will be served. The evening's festivities will close with dancing.

Mrs. Jennie Foreman reached her father's home on Tuesday, having been called here from California because of his

The Woman's Relief corps' annual chicken-pie supper will be served at Sons of Veterans' hall Friday evening, Nov. 17. The supper will be followed by a phonographic entertainment.

A benefit supper was given to Mr. and Mrs. O. Perham, proprietors of Perham's Inn. last Friday night which was attended by about 100 citizens of the town. A course supper of excellent quality was served, an orchestra playing meanwhile Later cards and dancing were enjoyed by he company.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stockbridge have resigned as librarian and janitor of Dickinson Memorial library. Mrs. Stock-bridge, in the capacity of librarian, has served for 16 years, proving herself a very efficient officer. She has exhibited as much interest in the library as though it was her personal property. The trustees it was her personal property. The trustees wish to have all persons who may desire either position to make application to the executive board of the trustees on or before Dec. 15, that they may have ample time to fill the vacancy.

NEW HAMPSHIRE NOTES. Prof. Charles P. Hall of Shelburne Falls, Mass, has presented the East Westmore-land Cemetery association with a hand-

tome gute.

Chicago to Sue Mrs. Hetty Green. The city authorities of Chicago are York, the richest woman in America, to force the demolition of a dangerous and unsanitary building in the stock yards

district. district.

The property belongs to Mrs. Green and was long ago condemned by both the city building and health departments. It is known as "the house of blazes," and has for years been regarded by the authorities as a breeding spot of infectious disease, and the belong and accordance to the in addition to being an eyesore to the



of time with greatest sconomy. Dampers are ground in emery, making them airtight, while all Joints are perfectly bedded in asbeston coment. The quality of the Oak Andes, as well as its handsome exterior, will commend it to all rospective buyers, who desire stove ser-

If you are contemplating the purchase of a range, the qualities necessary are much the same as in the purchase of a heater. arange, inequations necessary are much the same as in the purchase of a heater. The range must be economical to use, have good baking qualities, and should be made to last. The Grand Andes Range will fill every need of the housewife in every particular. They have been improved from year to year until they include all the best devices known to stove builders. These grand ranges have the most perfect form of fire box, two styles of grates, with ash pan of unusual capacity. The flues are perfectly proportioned and carry the heat in proper amounts to the oven, while insuring the right amount of draft to cause good combustion. The dam pers are an improvement on any heretofore made. The ovens are perfect in form, provided with oven indicators which show the exact amount of heat and make bake day a pleasure.

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TALE OF A LIZARD'S TAIL.

How the Iguana Can Grow a New One In Place of One Lost.

[C. William Beebe, Curator of Ornithology, New York Zoological Park, in the New York Tribune.]

My tale is of the tail of the lizard. We had steamed and railroaded many hun-dreds of miles, and at the end of civilization had started over a steep and mirrow trail, with horses and pack mules, finally finding ourselves encamped in a canyon, or barranca, in West Central Our backyard was a great orchid-hung

cliff; before us ran and tumbled a swift, cold stream, and the blue sky beyond and over all was cut deep by two majestic peaks—one snow capped and dead, its sister breathing smoke and flame. Here we lived—Milady and I—and watched the strange tropical life, which ever went on about the tent, night and day. Here we first had our strange experience, noted in our diary as "the day of the jewera". in our diary as "the day of the iguana's Iguanas, great, black lizards, three feet

or more in length, were abundant in the deep caves of the cliff, coming out early in the morning to sun themselves, and bobbing up and down, as an owl ducks his head, to get a better look at us, as ur Mexican cook started the fire or stirred bout the camp. Little imagination was necessary to magnify the stone on which they sprawled to a huge bowlder, and them to thirty foot saurians of prehistoric ages, when the reptiles were masters of the earth. We found them delicious eating. Though the Mexican demurred at first, prejudice was soon cast aside. Their limbs might be black skinned and scaly without, but within all was sweet, white meat, like

that of chickens and frogs' legs.

The iguanas, which had their burrows in the ground, would climb up each morning, up, to the topmost limbs of som trees, and there bask in the sun. They had a most startling way of descending-a headlong dive to the underbrush or in to the water. As twilight fell, the sight of these great black apparitions sprawling earthward was most remarkable. If one of them had ever struck us in its descent

or them had ever struck us in its descent our interest in this strange habit would suddenly have become lessened. Our usual method of procuring these glant lizards for our larder was to shoot them high above us, when they would tumble headlong to our feet. Sometimes Don Rice entertained his classmates of the Brattleboro high school at his home Friday evening. An old-fashioned husking bee, games, etc., formed a part of the evening's program.

The next regular meeting of the Grange will be held Saturday evening. Nov. 11. when it is expected that District Deputy when it is expected that District Deputy and the program of the grant creature curled and twisted and snapped its body about, the sharp scales having anything but a pleasant feeling on the palm of my hand. Suddenly something gave way, and I fell on my back, while the iguana shot off in the opposite direction, into a deep hollow among the rocks. When I regained my feet I found some nin-inches of tail in my hand—almost one third of the entire animal!

This is not an uncommon occurence mong lizards, and the ability to part with o considerable a portion of their anatomy insures many an escape from what would otherwise be inevitable death.

Almost all animals with backbones have a thick, pliable cushion of cartilage between each of the bones in their spinal column, which permits them to bend and twist it with much freedom. The back-bone of the iguana is, at first, all cartilage and, when the hard cells of the bone be-gin to be deposited, a deep, narrow wedge, or crack, is left in each tailbone. This is filled with a soft cartilage, so these bones are greatly weakened near centres. In-stead of an accidental defect, this is an allwise provision of nature, foreseeing the hawks, vagrant naturalists and other enemies gnay some day be too quick for the reptile and will seize its tall before

t can escape. When this happens, as in my case, the strain of the struggling creature's body is too great for the weak spots in its tall-bones, and one of these gives way, with the result above narrated. The muscles, too, are arranged to aid this phenomenor They are short and thick and conical, in-stead of running the whole length of the tail, and, being only dovetailed together, they readily give way. Only a few drops of blood escape; then the stump heals over and before long a new tall begins

to shoot out. exactly like the ancestral one, which was present in the embryo iguana. Stra still, the scales on this new tall are u Stranger those on the rest of the creature's body, and actually may be like those of some bygone ancestor. In the smaller lizards called geckos, this seems always to be When I closely examined the tail which

the iguana had left in my hands I that it was one of these "fraud" and had long ago supplanted the original appendage, with which some other enemy, doubtless a feathered one, had absconded. Two new vertebre, or tallbones, had come off with the base of my piece.

But the owner cares nothing for the number or character of his new talls. They serve him well and he is content. It is a curious fact that the tallmaking machinery in his backbone is so active machinery in his backbone is so active that sometimes a double or even triple tail will push out at the stump, and, when the original tall is even only slightly in-

jured at one side, a tiny tail will often

sprout out where it has no right to be.

I secured the tailless iguana and held him long enough for a photograph, then he scuttled quickly away into his rocky cavern, there to meditate upon the strange interruption of his dreams, there to grow a new tail. to grow wiser and to grow a new tail. Miss Jessie Bartmann of Sharon, Minn. anis Jessie Partmann of Saaron, anin., is only a school girl, but she recently exhibited an amount of sense and heroism that few older people would be capable of. She and her father were alone one day in their home and Mr. Bartmann was cutting wood. His ax slipped and he severed an artery in his foot. His daughter had learned box to apply a tournique. ter had learned how to apply a tourniquet at school, but Mr. Bartmann was so fleshy, that she knew she could not twist fleshy, that she knew she could not twist a bandage tight enough to stop the flow of blood. The patient could give her no help, as he had fainted, but she thought of another plan and quickly executed it. Cutting off the shoe and stocking and trousers to the knee, she set the foot into a twelve gallon stone jar on about three inches of flour. Then she filled the jar with flour and pressed it down with a stick of firewood. The bleeding stopped at once, for the blood could not penetrate the flour. It was four hours before a doctor could be secured. When he arrived he said that Mr. Bartmann would have bled to death in a short time if it had not

[From Brooklyn Life.]

bled to death in a short time if it had not

He is a rather serious-minded boy, who has more sense of responsibility than many grown persons. So, when he was sent to his grandmother's to break the news of her aged sister's death, he did so with much gravity and no little self-

importance.
"Now, Alfred," his mother said, "you mustn't tell grandma suddenly, because it might shock her, even though she knew Aunt Martha was III. Tell it to her gently."
"All right," assented Alfred, starting

ut on his mission with mingled solemnity and engerness. Arrived at his grandmother's house, he greeted her with a sober "Hello," a "Aunt Martha's dead, grandma! But you mustn't feel bad, 'cause she was pret-ty old, anyhow, You'll be the next one,

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Mrs. Ford Tells What Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Will Surely Do for Many Perplexed Women.

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Legal Notices.

STATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro, SS. By the Probate Court for said District, To all persons interested in the Estate of CHARLES DUTTON late of Dummerston CHARLES DUTTON fate of Dummerston in said District, deceased. Greeting: Whereas, Henry H. Miller, Administrator upon the Estate of Charles Dutton fate of Dummerston in said District, deceased, has filed his petition in this Court, setting forth that the sale of the whole of the real estate of said deceased will be beneficial to the heirs and all persons interested therein, and praying for license to sell the same, and at the same time filed in this Court what purports to be the consent in writing of all the heirs residing in this State to such sale. Whereupon it is ordered that the same be heard at the session of said Court, to be held at the probate office in Brattleboro, on the last Saturday of November, A. D. 1905, when and where you may be heard in the premises, if you see cause.

STATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro, SS.

By the Probate Court for said District.
To all persons interested in the Estate of ALANSON GATES, late of Dummerston in said District, Greeting:
You are hereby notified that this Court will decide upon the allowance of the account of H. G. Barber, Administrator upon the Estate of George H. Phillips, late of Putney in said District of Westminster, deceased, who in his life time was executor of the last will and testament of Alanson Gates, late of Dummerston in said District, deceased, and will take such action in regard to the balance in the hands of said administra-

45-47 A. F. SCHWENK, Register. COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

We, the subscribers, being duly appointed by the Hon. Prebate Court for the District of Westminster. Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the Estate of Charlotte W. Russell, late of Jamaica in said District, deceased, and also all claims and demands exhibited in offset thereto: and six months from the 2nd day of September last, being allowed by said Court for that purpose, we do there' ore bereby give notice, that we will attend to the business of our said appointment, at the Jamaica Savines Rank in Jamaica in said District, on the 28th day of November and the 20th day of February next, from 10 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m., on each of said days.

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The undersigned having been appointed by the Hon. Probate Court for the District of Mariboro, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the Estate of Elmer E. Prouty late of Mariboro in said District, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at his late dwelling house in Halifax on the 2nd day of becember and 2nd day of May next, from 10 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m., each of said days, and that six months from the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1895, is the time limited by said Court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

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STATE OF VERMONT, Westminster, SS, By the Probate Court for said District. To all persons interested in the Estate of T. C. RAND of Townshend in said District.

You are hereby notified that this Court will decide upon the allowance of the account of E. L. Hastings, guardian of said Rand, at the session thereof to be held at the Hotel in Townshend, on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1905, when and where you may be heard in the premises, if you see cause. ses, if you see cause.
ZINA H. ALLBEE, Judge. 44-46

STATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro, SS.
By the Probate Court for said District,
To all persons interested in the Estate of
NELLIE KENYON late of Newfane in
said District,
You are hereby notified that this Court
will decide upon the allowance of the
account of John D. Pierce, Administrator
upon the Estate of Nelle Kenyon late of
Newfane in said District, deceased, and
decree distribution thereof to the persons
entitled thereto, at the session thereof
to be held at the probate office in Brattleboro, in said District, on the 25th day
of November, A. D. 1905, when and
where you may be heard in the premises,
if you see cause.

1f you see cause. 45-47 A. F. SCHWENK, Register. STATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro, SS.
By the Probate Court for said District
To all persons interested in the Estate of
JONATHAN BABCOCK late of Stratto
deceased. Greeting: deceased. Greeting:

Whereas, Will Styles has presented to
this Court an instrument purporting to
be the last will of said deceased, for
probate—You are hereby notified that this
Court will decide upon the probate of
said Instrument at the session thereof to
be held at the probate office in Bratdeboro, in said District, on the 25th day
of November, A. D. 1905, when and where
you may appear and contest the same, if
you see cause.

45-47 A. F. SCHWENK, Register.

STATE OF VERMONT, Marlboro, SS. By the Probate Court for said District, To all persons interested in the Estate of HERBERT C. ROESS late of Brattleboro HERBERT C. ROESS late of Brattleboro deceased.

Greeting:
Whereas, George C. Averili has presented to this Court an instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased, for probate—You are hereby notified that this Court will decide upon the probate of said instrument at the session thereof to he held at the probate office in Brattleboro, in said District, on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1995, when and where you may appear and contest the same, if you see cause.

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TATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro, SS.

By the Probate Court for said District.

To all persons interested in the Estate of L. B. HALL late of Halifax in said District,

You are hereby notified that this Court will decide upon the allowance of the account of Frank Worden. Administrator upon the Estate of L. B. Hall late of Halifax in said District, deceased, and decree distribution thereof to the persons entitled at the probate office in Brattleboro, in said District, on the 25th day of November.

A. D. 1905, when and where you may be heard in the premises, if you see cause.

CTATE OF VERMONT. Mariboro, SS.

A. F. SCHWENK, Register.

STATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro, SS.
By the Probate Court for said District.
To all persons interested in the Estate of STEPHEN WHEELER late of Guilford in said District.

You are hereby notified that this Court will decide upon the allowance of the account of Henry R. Chase, Administrator, with the will annexed, upon the Estate of Stephen Wheeler late of Guilford in said District, deceased, and decree distribution thereof to the persons entitled thereto, at the session thereof to be held at the probate office in Brattleboro, in said District, on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1995, when and where you may be heard in the premises, if you see cause.

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STATE OF VERMONT, Mariboro, SS.
By the Probate Court for said District.
To all persons interested in the Estate of
MILLARD TAYLOR late of Mariboro in
said District.
Greeting: will Lard Taylor late of Mariboro in said District.
You are hereby notified that this Court will decide upon the allowance of the account of E. P. Adams, Administrator upon the Estate of Willard Taylor late of Mariboro in said District, deceased, and decree distribution thereof to the persons entitled thereto, at the session thereof to be held at the probate office in Brattleboro, in said District, on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1905, when and where you may be heard in the premises, if you see cause.

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